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The well known Practical Optician, from 451 and 465 Broadway, New-York,

Respectfully informs the citizens of this place and vicinity, that he has taken rooms at the

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A long continued practice of the art of Optics has enabled him to manufacture Glasses of peculiar form and superior quality, and adapt them to each individual, after a careful examination of the Eye, those Glasses which correspond with the defect of near, far or weak-sightedness. Persons in general, not acquainted with the art of Opsightedness. Persons in general, not acquainted with the art of Optics, are left to select their glasses themselves; which abuse is surely injurious to the Eye, and has caused the prejudiced to avoid the use of them as long as possible. When selected as soon as the sight begins to fail, by a skilful Optician, the eye will retain its natural strength and be improved.

The importance of the subject, as introduced by the subscriber, has been fully acknowledged by the highest authorities.

An attentive consideration of the following rules, will enable every one to judge for himself, when his sight may be assisted or preserved by the use of Spectacles.

- 1. When we are obliged to remove small objects to a considerable distance from the eye in order to see them distinctly.
- 2. If we find it necessary to get more light than formerly—as, for instance, to place the candle between the eye and the object.
- 3. If, on looking at, and attentively considering a near object, it becomes confused, and appears to have a kind of mist before it.
- 4. When the letters of a book run one nto the other, and hence appear double and treble.

5. If the eyes are so fatigued by a little exercise, that we are obliged to shut them, from time to time, and relieve them by looking at different objects.

When all these circumstances concur, or any of them separately takes place, it will be necessary to seek assistance from glasses, which will now ease the eyes, and in some degree check the tendency to grow flatter; whereas, if they be not assisted in time, the flatness will be considerably increased, and the eyes be weakened by the efforts they are compelled to exert.

We are now able to decide upon a very important question, and say how far Spectacles may be said to be preservers of the sight. It is plain they can only be recommended as such to those whose eyes are beginning to fail. But they who feel those inconveniences, should immediately take to Spectacles, which by enabling them to see objects nearer, and by facilitating the union of rays of light on the retina, will support and preserve the sight.

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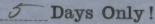
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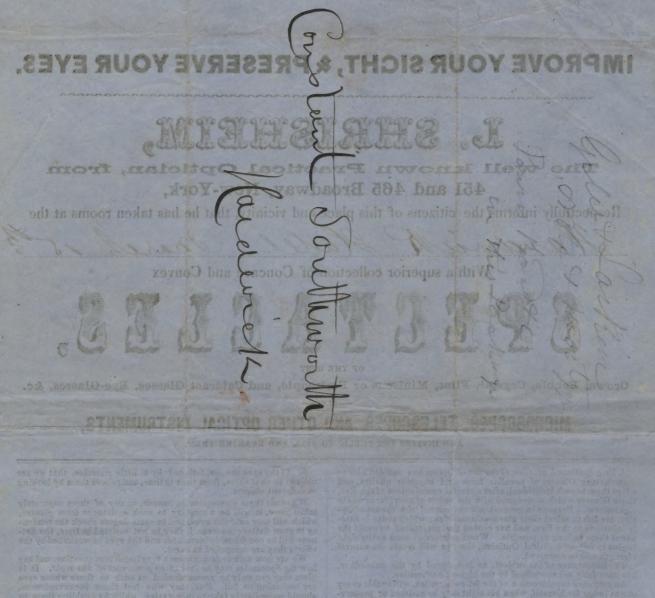
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